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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
AT SEATTLE

10 In re:
11 DEBRA LEA WILSON,
12 Debtor,

13 DEBRA WILSON,
14 Debtor-Appellant
15 v.

16 JAMES RIGBY, et al,
17 Appellees.

CASE NO. C16-1684 RAJ
ORDER

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20 This matter comes before the Court on the National Consumer Bankruptcy Rights
21 Center's (NCBRC) and the National Association of Consumer Bankruptcy Attorneys'
22 (NACBA) motion for leave to file a late *amici curiae* brief in support of the debtor in this
23 matter. Dkt. ## 9, 12. Appellee James Rigby opposes the motion. Dkt. ## 10, 14.

24 The Court has discretion to allow movants to file a late brief. Fed. R. Bankr. P.
25 8017(e). The Court finds movants' perspective unique and helpful in resolving the
26 matter. Accordingly, the Court **GRANTS** the motion. Dkt. ## 9, 12. The Court notes
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1 that the movants filed their brief, Dkt. # 13, and therefore will allow Appellees to respond
2 within 14 days from the date of this Order. The response brief shall not exceed 20 pages.
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4 Dated this 17th day of March, 2017.

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8 The Honorable Richard A. Jones
9 United States District Judge
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